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In re Application of

Jean-Pierre Rene LEON et al.

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For: Device For Assembling Two Panels or the Like
and Formed by Two Co-Operating Parts

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Applicants hereby request a two-month extension of the original shortened statutory response period set in the Office Action of May 29, 2003. A check in the amount of \$420.00 in payment of the government fee for a two-month extension of time is enclosed herewith. Any additional fees or charges required at this time in connection with the present application may be charged to our Patent and Trademark Office Deposit Account No. 03-2412.

In response to the Office Action dated May 29, 2003, please amend the above-identified application as follows:

Amendments to the Claims are reflected in the listing of claims which begins on page 3 of this paper.

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